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City of Miami Beach Extends State of Emergency Declaration

Mandates Face Coverings for All Essential Retail and Commercial Businesses –

Miami Beach, FL – Ensuring the safety and health of Miami Beach residents and businesses during the COVID-19 pandemic remains the city's most important objective. As such, the City Manager has extended his <u>State of Emergency Declaration</u> through **April 23, 2020.** The city has also extended its <u>"Safer at Home" Emergency Order</u>, as well as its <u>Emergency Measures</u>, through April 23, 2020.

The city's amended emergency order requires employees and customers of **ALL** essential retail and commercial businesses to wear a form of covering over their nose and mouth at all times. All individuals providing delivery services to the public must wear a form of covering over their nose and mouth while making deliveries.

Additionally, **restaurants located on Lincoln Road** (between Alton Road and Washington Avenue) **must close their entrances fronting Lincoln Road to the public**, and may only conduct delivery, pick-up or take-out services through their rear or side-facing entrances.

Any violation of the aforementioned emergency measures would subject the individual or business entity to criminal penalties.

For detailed information on the city's COVID-19 efforts, including all emergency measures being enforced, please visit www.MiamiBeachFl.gov/coronavirus.

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